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JAPANESE CABINET GAVE FORMAL APPROVAL FEB. 17 TO IEA LONG TERM PROGRAM TO DEVELOP ALTERNATIVE ENERGY RESOURCES. ATTESTING TO INTEREST ENERGY QUESTION STILL COMMANDS IN JAPAN, DECISION RECEIVED FAIRLY PROMINENT INSIDE PAGE COVERAGE. ONE NATIONAL PAPER SPECIALIZING IN ECONOMIC AFFAIRS, THE SANKAI, COMMENTED IN AN EDITORIAL THAT IN SUPPORTING THE MSP, AND THUS RISKING CONFRONTATION WITH OPEC, JAPAN SHOULD NOW BE ENTITLED TO BOTH A SHARE OF NEW ENERGY RESOURCES THAT ARE DEVELOPED, AND TO A GREATER VOICE IN FORMULATING DC ENERGY POLICIES.  
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